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#### MEMO. FOR THE NAVAL SECRETARY.

Submitted, for your information, that the undermentioned Officers of "Baleine," recently paid off, continue on record at Headquarters as serving in that Ship.

Mr. Davis E. Brannen, Ch. Bos'n.

Mr. W.J. Foreyth, Act. Art. Eng.

Mr. R.M. Gammon, Act. Art. Eng.

It is submitted that in the concluding sentence of Patrols Telegram No. 433 of the 21st. January, 1915, (H.Q. File, 58-53-7) the Department were promised a report as to the disposal of these Officers. This report has not yet been received.

(EGD) E.B. Cameron Asst. Payr. R.N.C.V.R. By formand of the Honourable the Minister the Naval Service of the Dominion of Canada.

To Mr. Davie E. Brannen, Temp. Chief Warrant Officer, R.C.H.

The Minister of the Naval Service hereby appoints you

Temperary Chief Boatsmin, R.C.H.,

of His Majesty's Canadian Ship "HIGHE" FOR "BALEINE."

Your appointment is to take effect from 1st. Ja unry, 1918.





C E KINGGMILL

Admiral, Director of the Naval Service.

Department of Naval Service,

Ottowo, Sth. January, 1915. With Semiority of 16th. April, 1916.



#### Memorandum:

In your submission ZZ. 6-2-8

of the 24th January, you state that Mr. George
Critchell is in command of the "Baleine". Information is required as to the authority for
the appointment of Mr. Critchell in succession to
Mr. Brennan, who holds an appointment from Headquarters.

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mission dated 22nd November, 1917, P.13-2-1 from
the Captain of Patrols, it is stated "Inquiries
have beenmade of the Commanding Officer of
H.M.C.S. "Niobe" as to where Mr. George Critchell
is serving, and a reply has been received that
his whereabouts cannot be traced." In view of
this report, Mr. Critchell is, so far as the
Department is aware, not serving. This matter is
to be dealt with without delay, observing that
repeated instructions have been given that Headquarters' appointments are not to be altered
without the authority of Headquarters.

BY COMMAND.

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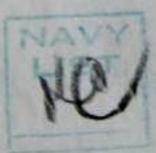
The Minister of the Naval Service hereby appoints you

Temperary Chief Boatswain, R.C.N.,

of His Majesty's Canadian Ship "NIOHE" FOR "BALEINE."

Your appointment is to take effect from 1st. January, 1918.





### C E KINGSMILL

Admiral, Director of the Naval Service.

Department of Naval Service,

Ottawa, Sth. January, 1915. With Semiority of 16th, April, 1916.

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28th June, 1916.

MEMORANDUM: -

Enclosed herewith are the following

appointments:-

Wilfred D.Moran, Acting Artificer Engineer, R.C.N. (Temporary), to "Niobe" for "Deliverance", to date 15th February 1916.

Davis E. Brannen, Acting Chief Warrant Officer, R.C.N. (Temporary) to "Niobe" for "Baleine" to date 16th April, 1916.

William M. Simms, Acting A tificer Engineer, R.C.N. (Temporary) to "Niobe" for "Baleine" to date 10th April 1916.

Jos. G. Wilson, Acting Artificer Engineer, R.C.N. (Temporary) to "Niobe" for "Masquash", to date 14th February 1916.

BY COMMAND.

Capt.Supt. H.M.C.Dockyard, Halif x, N.S. S. 442. (Established July, 1911.) acar Feb 23, 623 DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVAL SERVICE. DSL. EMB. The Captain of Patrols The Secretary, Department of Naval Service, H.M.C.DOCKPARD, P4380 Halifax, N.S. Ottawa. 26th Feb. 1918. P.7.4.2. Submitted for the information of the Department, with reference to Headquarter's Memorandum 58-41-1 of 15th February, 1918, a report concerning the disposal of David E. Brannen, Chief Boatswain late "BALEINE" was submitted to the Admiral Superintendent on 4th February, 1918 and I aml informed was forwarded by him to the Department. The following minute has been received from the Admiral Superintendent regarding Messrs. Foresyth and Gammon:-"The Commanding Officer, "NIOBE" obtained a list of officers and ratings from "BALEINE", who were willing to continue in the Service. The names of Messrs. Foresyth and Gammon were not included in this list; therefore their appointments automatically cease from the date of "BALEINE" paying off. Captain of Patrols. 350M Apr. 5-17 Req. 3956.